

House Resolution No. 1793

Whereas, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives always welcome the opportunity to recognize those Show-Me State educational administrators who admirably assist today's students in gaining the knowledge, skills, and experiences necessary to become lifelong learners and future societal leaders; and

Whereas, Paul W. Doerrer, Ph.D., has attained considerable distinction as the Superintendent of Schools for the Ritenour School District which educates more than six thousand students through the expertise of approximately four hundred certificated staff in nine institutions; and

Whereas, Dr. Paul Doerrer recently enhanced his already impressive record of achievement when he was named as the recipient of the 2005 Outstanding Communicator Award from the National School Public Relations Association; and

Whereas, under Superintendent Paul Doerrer's leadership, Ritenour School District has developed an award-winning communication program that is based on research and utilizes such two-way communication tools as an annual community survey, employee and community focus groups, and planned external and internal communication strategies; and

Whereas, Dr. Paul Doerrer was nominated for the prestigious Outstanding Communicator Award by John Oldani, executive director of Cooperating School Districts; Rodney D. Wright, president of Unicom ARC; and Cindy L. Gibson, assistant to the superintendent for community services and communications; and

Whereas, Dr. Paul Doerrer prepared for his chosen field of endeavor by earning a Bachelor of Arts degree from Concordia Teachers College and Master of Arts and Doctor of Philosophy degrees from Saint Louis University; and

Whereas, prior to becoming Superintendent of Schools in 1995, Dr. Paul Doerrer served as an Instructional Consultant/Assistant Principal, an Elementary Principal, a Program Analyst, and an Assistant Superintendent in the Ritenour School District:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-third General Assembly, join unanimously to applaud the well-deserved selection of Dr. Paul Doerrer for the 2005 Outstanding Communicator Award by the National School Public Relations Association and to convey to him this legislative body's most heartfelt best wishes for continued personal and professional success for many more years to come; and

Be it further resolved that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for presentation to Dr. Paul Doerrer of the Ritenour School District in Saint Louis, Missouri.

Offered by _____
Representative Barbara Wall Fraser
District No. 83

I, Rod Jetton, Speaker of the House of Representatives,
Ninety-third General Assembly, First Regular Session, do
certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House
Resolution No. 1793, adopted April 5, 2005.

Rod Jetton, Speaker